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ing, 8.15 p. m. Evening service, 7. Women's meeting, Tuesday at 3 p. m. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7.30. Music, chorus choir.

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30 n. ur., excepting first Sunday of each month

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YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION

to 5.30 p. m. Boys' service Sunday at 3.15 p. m. Music by the Boys' orchestra. Men's meeting

For Temerrow.

The announcement of the Easter pro-

grams at the different churches will be

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Those interested in the lodging house

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the poor, under the auspices of the Asso-

ciated Charities, of which Mr. Allen will

WOMAN'S ART EXCHANGE

Last Night.

Mrs. L. M. Hurd of 10 Bank street has

attendance was large. The counters and

tables were prettily decorated with cut

flowers and the exhibit was very tastefully

arranged. Music was furnished during

the evening by Archie White, the com-

poser, of Pittsfield, and Archie Mason

AN EASTER PROGRAM.

Mrs. Buck

By the Classes

Rev. G. W. Brown, D. D.

Miss Carrie Peck

Misses Bessie and Sadie William

Carol—Golden Harps are Sounding,

Recitation-"I am the Resurrection,"

pianist, of this city,

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DOORS AT NIGHT IN WRETCHED CONDITION LIKE WILD ANIMALS.

[Special Dispatch to the Transcript.]

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### TODAY IN CONGRESS.

(Special Dispatch to the Transcript.) Washington, April 4.-The House was the only branch in session today. The attendance was alim in galleries and on the floor notwithstanding that the Cuban subject was under discussion. Several minor bills passed. Fisher of Few York caused a ripple of interest by his resolution asking the secretary of agriculture to comply with the spirit of the seed distribution plan and to have seeds enclosed in packages in accordance with directions of senators and members of the House. He asked immediate consideration of the resolutions but it went over. Lond of California objecting. Livingston of Georgia suggested as an amendment that each package contain five papers of seeds, Watson of Ohio called for the hill, but the protection of salmon fisheries in Alaska

### THE KENTUCKY DISASTER.

List of Persons Drowned in the Cloud-burst.

different places in Clay and Owsley can be obtained. To yesterday's list must

B. W. Brayton, A. C. Houghton, E. Wilkinson V. A. Whitaher, Hon. A. B. Wright, W. A. Galiup W. G. Cady, G. W. Chase, H. W. Clark. be added the wife of Alex. Gibson, Miss Mary Barnett and a five-year-old child.

> save his wife and child but failed through falling off the logs on which he hoped to reach land. The woman clutched his throat and he sank with his family, the woman and boy drowning. He managed to escape. The dead body of a girl was found today that had floated 600 yards down and lodged in the ice.

### IN CONGRESS TONIGHT.

The Cuban Resolutions Are to be Discussed so as to Come to a

WASHINGTON, April 4.—The House will sit tonight on Cuban resolutions and will vote Monday after the reading of the journal.

### THE BLACK PLAGUE.

[Special Dispatch to the Transcript.]

### AFTER THE TIN.

The Tin Plate Industry is Threatened with Destruction by the steel Pool.

pool holds together ninety days every tin ompetition and the cost of steel billets.

keeping up with the advance of billets to \$20. If this continues Welsh competition will gain the mastery in American mark-LeClair, organist and director.

CHURCH OF NOTRE DAME—East Main street, Rev. Churles H. Jeannotte, pastor, Resi dence, No. 143 East Main street. Mass 8 9,15, ets, though curiously enough the competition now is not between Welsh and denca, No. 148 East Main street. Mass; 8' 9.15.
n. m. High Mass, 10.30 a. n. Sunday school, 2
p. m. Vespers, 4 p. m. Music, chorus choir.
Joseph Brodeur, organist and director.
ST. JOHN'S CHURCH—Summer street. Rev.
John O. Tebbetts, rector. Residence, No. 28
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Special Dispatch to the Transcript. CHICAGO, Ill., Apr. 4.—Brigadier Genganist and director.

SECOND ADVENT CHURCH—Chestnut street. Rev. H. J. Goudey, pastor. Residence, No. 78 East Quincy street. Morning service 10.30. Sunday school, 12 m. Evening service, 7. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7.30. FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH—Main street. Rev. F. D. Penney, pastor. Residence, No. 24 Church street. Prayer meeting, 9.30 a. m. Preaching service, 10.30. Sunday school, 12 m. Junior B. Y. P. U. prayer meeting, Thursday evening, 7.30. Prayer meeting, Turusday evening, 7.30. Prayer meeting, Turusday evening, 7.30. Music, Chorus choir. David Roberts, organist and director.

FIRST UNIVERSALIST CHURCH—Summer street. Rev. A. B. Church, pastor. Residence, eral Edward Fielding has resigned from the Salvation Army to join the new army

### FINANCIAL.

NEW YORK, April 4.—The market today has shown the influence of being between two holidays.

Sugar was strong and higher than on Thursday. Tobacco opened at 90 and sold off two

points in the first half hour. Support was ound and prices hardened. The grangers were strong at a slight

ne cared to sell. At Chicago grain was up a little, and is expected to go higher.

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Chicago Markets. Wheat—May 64% July 65%%
Corn—May 29% July 30% Sept. 31% July 2013. Sept. 20 14 Pork-May 8.42 July 8.62

Morning News Will be Found on Page Four of this Paper.

of trade returned from Boston last evening. Mr. Wilkinson went to see Governor Wolcott concerning his visit to this city at the annual banquet of the board of trade. The governor will be unable to leave the city while the legislature is in ession because of the many duties which occupy his entire time.

A meeting of the directors of the board will be held next week to consider the advisability of delaying the banquet until the governor shall be able to be present The legislature will probably be in session until the middle of May.

**BICYCLE TUBE WORKS-**

The company that will operate the Bicycle Tube works at Zylonite is organized as follows: President Alfred Mannesman; ecretary, L. C. Buggs of Boston, treasurer Carl Mannesman; directors, Rheinard Mannesman, Alfred Mannesman, Carl Mannesman, Robert Mannesman, W. H. Hill of Richardson & Hill, Boston, W. W. Sherman of the bank of Commerce, New York, R. A. Burget of Pittsfield, Emil Kipper of New York and L. L. Brown. This company and the Adams Power company, which first secured the Zylonite property, are distinct, but it is expected that in time the new company

that the new company will bring about.

FIRST METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH-FIRST METHODIST EFISOOPAL CHURGH— North Church street. Rev. George W. Brown, D. D., pastor, Residence, No. 7 North Church street. Class meeting, 9.30 a. m. Morning ser-vice 10.30. Sunday school, 12 m. Junio: Loague meeting, 4.30 p. m. Class meetings, 6 p. m. Evening service, 7. Epworth League meeting, Tuesday evening at 7.30. Church prayer meet-ing Thursday evening at 7.30. Music, quartet and chorus choir. E. A. Tower, organist and director. Heid in All the Churches.

A Day of Great Rejoiding Throughout Christendom. Sweet Flowers and Sweet Music, A Day of Special Interest to Church-Goers.

music will be exceptionally good. The programs arranged for the different churches are as follows:

A special Easter program has been pre pared by Professor Le Clair for St. Francis' church. First mass, at 8 o'clock, the boys' choir will sing. At the second mass, at 9.15 o'clock, the girls' choir will sing. Both these choirs are pupils from St. Joseph's school. At the last mass, at 10.30 o'clock, St. Francis' choir will render "Kyrie" and "Gloria," from Farmers' mass and the "Credo," "Sanctus" and "Agnus Dei," from Gauss' mass.

at 7.30 p. m. This service is something tenor soloist. special. Stearn's "Vespers" in B flat will given, besides the Easter hymn, "Allelina," by Lambillotte, by grand chorus; "Regina Coeli," by Lambillotte with dust and chorus and solemn benediction. "Ave Verum," by Guilmant, will b rendered by the quartet, and "Santum

### Church of Notre Dame.

street. Rev. A. B. Church, pastor, Residence, No. 43 Church street. Morning service, 10.80. Sunday school, 12 m. Evening service, 7. Y. P. Communion mass at 7.30 o'clock. Au-Thursday evening prayer meeting, 7.30. Music, quartet. Jesse Hadfield, organist and director. SALVATION ARMY—Barracks on Eagle street. Miss Munting, captain. Residence, No. 5. Lincoln street. Sunday services 7 and 11 a. m. and 3 and 8 p. m. Fervices during the week every avening event. Thoselay. other low mass at 8.30, at which the following hymns will be rendered by the Sunday school choir: "Gloria A Jesus," by Lambollotte, "Regnia celi," by Mozart, "Celebrous ce grand jour" by Wandell, "Amour Honneur A Jesus," by Lambollottee. HOUSE OF ISRAEL-Frances street, near HIGH MASS AT 10,30, State street. Solomon Ratner, rabbi. Regular services Saturday from 8 to 10 a.m.

Henry Brothers VESPERS AT 4 P. M. Maugnificat ......Gregorian Benediction of the Holy Sacrament

Miss R. L. Roman O Salutaris,......Holder Mrs. Joseph Denogers
Regina Celi......Sunday school cheir .....Haydən Soprano-Mrs. Jos. Denogers, Miss Josephine Lord, Mrs. Ordis Paro, Miss Emma Lord alto, Miss Mary Lord, Mrs. Daniel Paro; tenor, Edw. Riley, Dr. A. Desrochers, Louis Ruel, Fred Bess; bass, Wm. Deguire, Geo. Beauchemin, E. H. Rolland and Dennis Lord

that have been agreed upon, which are that 1,000 shall be raised in advance to provide for the payment of his salary and Authem, Alieluia, Hearts and voices raise, the expenses of the lodging house. This Quartet, At the Sepulchre.....Bacumann money is to be raised by popular subscription, and the work is already well begun. from thirty men. Rev. J. C. Tebbets will Hymn, Look ye Saints, the Light is Glorious. have the pledge book next week and it Solo with violin obligate..... will be passed around until the required sum is secured and placed in the hands of Easter Carol, Across the Hilltops Gleam. Mr. Allen hones to add some new fee tures to the work. He expects to open Hymn. All Hail the Power of Jesus name, two day nurseries for the children of women who work in the mills, and to dis-

Chorus of forty voices and quartet composed of Mrs. Hawkins, Miss William, Messrs. Blythe and Brigham, E. A. Tower, organist, Thomas Boyd,

It is possible that breaking stone for MORNING SERVICE. roads may be substituted for wood sawing. Responsive—Minister and Choir. Invocation. Anthem-"This is the Day," Responsive Reading. A Pleasant Opening at Mrs. Hurd's Store esponse - "Here is Rest," A Solo by Miss Arnold. an opening of a Woman's art exchange at

Scriptural Lesson. Hvmn 312. W. S. Archer. Anthem-"They have taken Away my Lord."

Sacrament of the Lord's Supper. Organ Postlude-Grand Cherus.

EVENING. At 7 o'clock, a special Easter Service by the Sun-

St. John's Church. The services at the St. John's church

That Will Be Carried Out by a Sunday School Class. Special Easter exercises have been ar

ranged by the classes of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Sperry of the Methodist Sunday school past month on the Easter music, which for tomorrow. Following is the propromises to be of more than usual interst. Following is the program:

Processional Hymn. 111 Festival Te Deum (in F)

Kyrie Eleis on. Glora Tibi, Hymn 112, ermon—Rev. J. C. Tebbetis. Offertory-"Christ is Risen

Agnus Dei. Gloria in Excelsis Ressional Hymn 118. Postlude (for organ)

will sing the "Magnificat in 'E," by Rlumen-schein, and The "Magdalene," by Geo. W. War-

en. The sereices will be sung by the vested choir of thirty voices. J. K. Smith Choirmaster and organist. The church will have the usual floral

decorations' and at the close of the evening service each child will be given a

The rector has asked for \$1,000 as an Easter offering.

Baptist Church.

MORNING SERVICE. G. W. Marston Festival prelude in D., Easter anthem, The Angelic Hosts. Boloists Mrs. Curtis, Miss Canedy, Mr. Whitham.

The Unseen Kingdom,
Mrs. J. M. Darby,
G. W. Maiston.

Mrs. Curtis, Mrs. Darby, Mr. Whitham stilude, Festival march in D. Best. EVENING SERVICE. Prolude, Christ the Lord is Ricen. Full chorus choir,

Baritone solo, The Resurrection

Who is this that Cometn. Mrs. Curtis, Mrs. Darby, Mr. Whitham, Mr. Con-nigs.
Festival Offertory. Lloyd.

Shelley

Miss Gertrude Henry, Mr. Louis Gordon. Congregational Church.

George A. Mietzke, organist and choir naster; chorus of forty-five voices. Miss Grace Tuttle of New York, soprano soloist; E. C. Bennett of Bennington, Vt.,

MORNING SURVICE, 10 o'clock. relude-Selection from "The Redemp-... tion," for violins and organ..... hant—"The Lord is in His Holy Temple."------alutation Hymn-"Look, Ye Saints the fight is Glorious." Invocation horus—"Awake thou that Sleepeth,".....

from the oratoria "The Daughter of...... Jairus,"..... Sir John Stainer First lesson..... Chorus-"Awake Ye Spirits from the Gloom." .. from the oratorio "Naaman,"......

.....Sir Michael Costa ..Jules Granier Miss Grace Tuttle. Responsive realing.....

Apostles' Creed ...... Easter offering..."Largo," for violins and... organ,......Handel Offertory chant..... Offertory prayer.....

Pastoral prayer..... Air-"I know that My Redeemer Liveth,". from the oratoric, "The Messiah," .... Handet Miss Grace Tuttle.

Hymn-"The Day of Resurrection,"...... Webb Postlude, introducing a Choral Theme. 

lay school, H. E. Wetherbee, superintendent. Anthem—"The Resurrect'ou,"......Shelley
Miss Grace Tuttle. Hamn-"Praise the Saviour." ... German Melody

Offertory solo--"Shine O Sun in Splendor ...... E. C. Bennett and Master Warren Sanford. Hymn—"The Mourning Hours are Ended," Bach

Hymn-"All Hailthe Power of Jesus' Name." .. · ·····Holnen

### A REUNION.

To be Held Tomorrow by the Universalist Church.

Inconnection with the Easter services at the Universalist church tomorrow there will be a church reunion, and an fort will be made to have as many of the embers present as possible. Invitations have been sent to all out-of-town members and letters are expected from such as cannot be here. Carriage conveyance will be furnished for old members living in the city, and the day will be one of exceptional interest to this church

### Mary Ellen Clements.

Mrs. Mary Ellen Clements, 66, wife of Thomas F. Clements, died at her home. 44 Ashland street, this morning, of a complication of diseases. She had not been in good health for six months past and the end came not unexpectedly.

her maiden name was Mary Ellen Sweatham. She came to this country in 1870 with her husband and settled in this city. where they had ever since made their nome. Mrs. Clements had many friends to whom she was endeared by the kindness and generosity of her nature, and the family have the sympathy of a large number in their time of sorrow. Mrs. Clements leaves, besides her hus-

and Thomas Clements of Rockdale, Eng-The funeral will be held tomorrow after

noon at 3 o'clock from the home. Rev. J C. Tebbetts will officiate.

District Court.

The court cases this morning were as follows:

rying concealed weapons, did not appear in court. The court ordered his bail defaulted and a capias to be issued. John Driscoll, drunkenness. menths probation.

Albert Roach, drunkenness, filed away.

...Miss Brown, a pupil of Miss Denley,

Adams will sing "I Know that my Redeemer Liveth," Sunday morning at the First Baptist church, Adams.

Children's Easter service will consist mainly of Y. P. C. U. of the Universalist church

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# FAMILIES STEEPING OUT OF

Boston, April 4.—Recent letters received from eastern Turkey report the condition of that section to be most deplorable despite the relief work being done. The | movement. writers state that almost the entire Armenian nation are struggling for existence

which almost makes them wish for death.

Whole families hungry and scantly clothed sleep on the ground at night. People huddle together in the corners seeking protection from the cold. Such things may exist in the slums of other lands but here the misery is intensified in many cases by the rapidity of the transition from comfort and even luxury to want. The poverty is accompanied by other ills one of the chief of which is the constant fear of further barbarities from

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[Special Dispatch to the Transcript.] BOONVILLE, Ky., Apr. 4.—Reports from countles show that it will be several days before a complete list of persons drowned

All were in a log cabin when the down pour began and they were soon swept Gibson made a desperate struggle to

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felt though the health officials are now in

geod condition to fight the dread disease.

## CHURCH NOTICES.

[Special Dispatch to the Transcript.] PITTSEURG, Pa., April 4.-P. H. Laufman, the veteran tin plate producer of this city predicts that if if the new steel plate factory in the country will be driven out of business. He says they will be anhilated between the millstones of Welsh

Black plate used by the tin plate manufacturers has advanced about \$20 per ton

Manhattan was bid from 108 to 1091. Union Pacific was fairly active and no

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New	York Market.
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LOCAL NEWS.

BOARD OF TRADE BANQUET. Must be Long Delayed if the Governor is to Attend,

President E. S. Wilkinson of the board

Officers of the Company that has been Organized.

will absorb the power company. Both of the companies owe their existence largely to L. L. Brown, and to him Northern Recitation—Finding the Lord, Mrs. Potter Rerkshire owes the revival of its industry Allelius-The Lord is risen today,

## EASTER DAY.

Appropriate Services will be

FINE MUSIC PROGRAMS PREPARED.

Tomorrow is Easter, a day of special gladness and rejoicing throughout all Christendom, and the sacred anniversary will be observed by the churches of this city in the usual effective manner. The churches will be decorated with flowers the sermons will be appropriate and the

St. Francis' Church.

Vespers, sermon and solemn benediction Ergo" in F will be given by grand chorus.

UNION CHAPEL—Byaytonvills, Sunday, 3 p. m., union Sunday school. 7 p. m., service con-ducted by St. Audrew's Brotherhood, Monday p. m., Junior Christian Endeavor meeting Dixit .....Fisks Beatus......Roswigs —Corner of Summer and Morris streets, B. E. Lovejoy, general secretary, Building open week days from 9 a. m. to 9.30 p. m.; Sunday from 2.30 Landate.....Gregorian

Organist and director... Julius Lord Methodist Church. At the Methodist church the following selections will be rendered at the different

Hymn, Welcome Happy Morning......Calkin'
Anthem, Christ is Risen.....Shelley 

Universalist Church.

her store last evening, which was attend-Offertory Solo-"Every Flower that Blossoms, ed with much success. The display of fancy work, pictures, painted china and Reception of Church members needle work was quite extensive and the

will be as follows: 7a. m. Holy Com munion, 10:30 a. m. Morning Prayer with sermon. 7. p. m. Childrens Easter The choir has been rehearing, for the

Anthem-"They have Taken away my Lord," Tuckerman Worgan Cooper.

carol singing by the Sunday school. The choir will be held Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Clements was born in Ireland and

band, three sons, J. William Clements of his city, James H. Clements of Alaska

Gilbert Saulnier, continued case for car-

J. H. Billings and Patrick Cronin, who conduct a saloon on Centre street, with illegal selling of liquor. They both pleaded not guilty and the case was continued until April 16. They were arrested by chief Kendall yesterday for the alleged sale of liquor to Charles E. Rowley, a minor. S. Procter Thayer appeared for the defendants.

...The monthly business meeting of the

The following bills now before the leg slature will be read with interest by the people of this city. House Bill No. 721. SECTION 1. The city of North Adams may for the purpose of holding and pay-

chapter twenty-one of the Public Statutes and acts in amendment thereof. Such bonds, notes or scrip shall bear on their face the words "City of North Adams, School House and City Hail Loan, Act of 1896," shall be payable at the expiration

of periods not exceeding thirty years from quality keeps them. the date of issue, shall bear interest at a rate not exceeding four per cent. per annum payable semi-annually, and shall be signed by the treasurer and countersigned by the mayor. The city council may authorize the tressurer to sell such securities at public or private sale, at not less than Cutting & Co. par, or pledge the same for money borrowed for the purposes of this act, upon such terms and conditions as said city

acquiring, purchasing and holding of the real estate above mentioned on the soutirwestern corner of Summer and Morris WHOLESALE RETAILERS. streets, or the real estate adjacent thereto known as the "Hodskins property," above

ter one hundred and forty-eight of the acts of the year eighteen hundred and ninety SECTION 2. The city council shall provide at the time of contracting said loan for the establishment of a sinking fund, and shall annually contribute to such fund a sum sufficient with the accumulation thereof to pay the principal of said loan at maturity. Said city council, instead o establishing a sinking fund, may provide for the payment of such bonds, notes or scrip in annual payments of such amounts as will in the aggregate extinguish the sortment.

terest sums as they shall become due. SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

act. The city shall raise by taxation such

sums as shall be necessary in addition

thereto to pay the said principal and in

council may deem proper. Any appropriations made by the city council for the

mentioned, or both of said estates, shall

flve.

House Bill No. 699. SECTION 1. The city of North Adams may, for the purpose of completing its reser voir at the "Notch," so called, and gener allying for the purpose of supplying the inhabitants of the city with pure water issue bonds, notes or scrip to an amoun not exceeding thirty thousand dollars in addition to all amounts heretofore autho ized. Such bonds, notes or scrip shall bear on their face the words "City of North Adams Water Loan, Act of 1896,' shall be payable at the expiration of periods not exceeding forty years from the date of issue, shall bear interest payable semi-annually at a rate not exceeding four per cent. per annum, and shall be signed by the treasurer and countersigned by the mayor. The city council may authorize the treasurer to sell such securities at public or private sale, at not less than par, or pledge the same for money borrowed for the purposes of this act, upon such terms and conditions as said

city council may deem proper.

SECTION 2. The city council shall provide at the time of contracting said loan for the establishment of a sinking fund, and shall annually contribute to such fund a sum sufficient with the accumulations thereof to pay the principal of said loan at maturity. The said sinking fund shall remain inviolate and pledged to the payment of said loan and shall be used for no other purpose. Said city council instead of establishing a sinking fund may provide for the payment of such bonds, notes and scrip in annual payments of such amounts as will in the aggregate extinguish the same within the time prescribed in this act. The income from the water rates not applicable to the payment of other water debts of the city shall be anplied to the payment of the principal and interest of such bonds, notes and scrip, and the city shall raise by taxation such sums as shall be necessary in addition thereto to pay the said principal and interest sums as they shall become duc. SECTION 3. This act shall take effect ipon its passage. -Rev. A. B. Church went to Cheshire

last night to organize a Universalist church in that city. He will go again tomorrow afternoon, when there will be an Easter service and reception of mem-

# A Boy's Suit

Should be his pride.

Give a boy a chance to look

Our stock of boys clothing

Neatness, style, dressiness, fine material, superior sewing and matchless fit--all these you'll find in our new line of Spring suits for boys.

Stylish dress suits for Easter, \$4, 5, 6.50, 8,

School suits equal to the severest campaign service \$2

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### be valid without a ratification of the same by the legal voters of the city voting in their respective precincts as provided in section sixteen of chap.

Easter Gloves

Our stock of Spring garments is larger and more varied than ever

Infants Wear

Our stock is the best and largest.

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## The Transcript.

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TRANSCRIPT PUBLISHING COMPANY, FROM STRONG STRONG STRONG

NORTH ADAMS, MASS. , he our not enhancecord of sin awaits me in the effer world; tutthis I do know, that I never was ecan e he was ignorant, or because he was black

### SPECIAL TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

Through being a member of the ASSO-CLA ED PRESS THE TRANSCRIPT bas the exclusive facilities for this locality of the createst American and foreign news

gatherers. The latest telegraphic dispatches from all parts of the world are recieved by THE TRANSCRIGT UP TO THE HOUR OF GOING TO 1 RYSS.

Et thred at the PostsOffice, North Adams, Mass. as se oud class mail matter.

"WE HOLD THE WESTERN GATEWAY." From the Seal of North Adams.

### -----SATURDAY AFTERNOON, APRIL 4, '96,

THE ROLLING AWAY OF A STONE. They tell us of a great joy mingled with · wonderful surprise that came to a Jewish girl's loving heart one spring morning about two thousand years ago, because of the rolling away of a stone from a door, heland which she and thought was buried in cternal darkness all that had made life seem to her worth the living.

But do we know that she really did believe that the dark ness was to be eternal, that her loved one was hidden away from her forever? Faith is so akin to love, and hope springs so naturally from the sweet kinship, may we not have more reason for believing, those of us who wish to believe anything (and God help the poor shrivelled heart that does not long to believe something at this joyous Easter-time; that never for a moment did she doubt that He would come to her rigain? So faithful is as it may seem, the women who have love, so loving is faith and so hopeful is the blending of the two.

And yet on that early morning as she sought the spot where her heart's life was resting, a great hideous stone seemed a relentless barrier before her with no one to roll it away. See could but question the why and the how offit all, but that need not mean that her faith was shaken. She was but human though so near divinity.

And so she trudged along her weary way, worn with care and anxiety but with a loving watchfulness that knew notiring, she who had known so much of a hard world's cruelty and yet could ever shed alroad a sweetness, though it be like the sweetness that could come only with the breaking of an alabuster box and the sacrifice of precious ointment, broken in tours but to make one woman remember

ed of mankind forever. The dawn of a new day came to her, as it did to a suffering, stumbling world, n hen she found the stone rolled away for her; the dawn of a new day and the estabhabment of a new hope which have lighted the world with a glorious light through all these centuries, a light which, stronger in this century of ours than ever before reaches beyond this world into a better one they tell us of above, brightening the human lives, forming rainbows through tears it may be and proving to all who

will let it fall upon them that "Faith bath still its Olivet

And love its Gallilee." This story of the stone is but one incident of that wonder hit springtime morning, a simple one it may seem as com pared with the other marvelous events of the first Easter, but it may not be bad for us to give it a little thought; to pause for a moment at this Easter-tide and let it interent our word-a-day cares and anxieties and it may be gather from it a little more of hope and good cheer.

There are stones in the pathways of us all. Some of them seem barirers that alone keep us from a promising future, others seem the cruel barriers that hide forever joys of the past. Fortunate is the one who has no past that covered by a shielding stone is best forgotten. But to all of us, if we will omly let it, this Easter-time may be a propinecy that

"In after years an angel may Roll the stone from the grave away,"

### AMERICAN BUSINESS AND CUBA.

When the leading business papers of the sountry begin to use their influence in be half of Cuban independence from commer cial standpoints, the insurgents can take to themselves substantial hope that something good will come to them from it, and that they have secured allies that are among the most practically valuable of any American influences. In a recent abl editorial the Boston Journal of Commerce says in part as follows:

"The recent successes of the Cubans de serve serious attention from the business men of the United States. There is strange lack of understanding among them of the extent of the revolution and of its prospects.

"In their own interests at would seem a if the American owners of Cuban estates looking not to tomorrow but to the day after tomorrow, would desire Cubar

"The South American republies are not models of good government, perhaps, but at least they do permit complete freedon of worship and most of them provide free public schools. Spain has loaded a deb of \$295,707,264 upon Cuba, not one cent of which was incurred for public schools:

asylums, or even harbor improvements. "Even Hayti spends more annually on education than the Sparash government in Cuba. Hayti spends \$1,000,000, Cuba \$182,000. The government does not support a single public library. Out of a total expenditure of 25,984,239 pesos is 1893-4, 12,574,485 peros was for the debt, 4,015,034 only for all the purposes of the Ministry of the Interior, and 5,904,094 on the military establishment maintained for

the purpose of overawing the island. "In spite of the tremendous damage don to property in Cuba, American property has been spared out of respect to the United States, spared though its owner were known to be actively opposing the cause of freedom.

"Spain opposes American traffic with Cuba in every possible way. The sneer paster The monthly meeting of the par- fully say in 1892, under McKinley pro-

### sibly it is deserved. It is worth remembering, however, that every obligation of the government to the Boston railroad in Colombia has been faithfully carried out and every bit of damage paid even under trying and exceptional circumstances.

The Cubans are not likely to fall below the Colombian standard. "Revolutions in Cuba could not be more frequent under Cuban than they

have been under Spainish rule, but even if more settled conditions were not brought about, as we beleive they would be, by an immediate increase in desirable immigration American trade with Cubs would double were the Spainish fetters emoved from its commerce.

"As a material advantage to the United States, Cuban independence ought to command the support of American men of business. From the point of view of our duty as a Nation to the cause of morality and liberty, further delay of our recognition of the men who are fighting against a tyranny more cruel than England's is a crime against civilization."

### AN EASTER SUGGESTION.

Our lego-fashion editor was this morn, ing looking over some of the laws passed in Mussachusetts in 1634 to see what he could find in the way of styles and things apropos to Easter, when he discovered among the "blue laws" of our state the to unoccupied lawyers, hoping it may not and extension of the surface sewer system timidation. Possibly the law is not in force now; there are indication that it is allowed the surface sewer system will re-

The court takeing into consideration the greate, superfluous and unnecessary of the inconvenience and expense to expense soccasioned by reason of some newe and immoaest fashions, as also the newe and immodest fagnons, as also the ordinary weareng of silver, golde and silke laces, girdles, hatbands etc., hath therefore ordered that noe person, either man or woman shall hereafter make or huy any apparell, either woollen, silke or lymen, with any lace on it, silver, golde, silke or threed, under the penalty of the forfecture of such clouthes. fortecture of such cloathes

fortective or such cloathes.

"Provided, and it is the meaning of this Court, that men and women shall have liberty to weare out such apparell as they are nowe provided of, (except the immoderate greate sieaves, slashed apparel himmoderate greate rayles, longe wings, etc.) I his order to take place a fortingulat after the publishing tuoreof."

And now that Lent is over and spring is probably somewhere near us, incredible made house-plants of themselves through the long winter, from choice or necessity. cannot do a better thing in the way of an Easter resolve than to vow that they will be in the sunshine and open air as much as possible. The women of this section pass by far too much of their time indoors. Springtime too often finds them worn and man creatures, wanting pity when they should be the superb specimens of womanhood nature in this magnificent country intended them to be, honestly glorying in deserved admiration. And as for the men, well, they can best help the fair ones along by encouraging their out-of-door exercise and inventing means to call for it and then not being stingy with their admiration, as the brightened faces and lightened hearts may deserve it.

### THE EDITOR'S SHEARS.

FOR TODAY. AT EASTER-TIME.

At Easter-time the air is full Of spring's symbolic miracle; And wondrous sweet things just begun Await the gold wand of the sun. Spring is a marvel but half-wrought. An exquisite, unfinished thought At Easter-time.

At Easter-time the earth holds un A strange elixir in its cup, Which thrills these dormant souls of ours The while it resurrects the flowers; And dead faith rises up again Within the dark sad hearts of men

At Easter-time. At Easter-time the opening leaf L witness against unbelief, And every grassy lance I see Defends my immortality. Is not God's promise written plain Across each field of springing grain At Easter-time?

At Easter-time it seems not lar To where our blessed angels are, We almost see the leaning throng. We hear them in our Easter song. O, d subting heart! Arise and share The message which the grasses bear At Easter-time!

At Easter-time, O who can doubt frat he who calls the violets out Of their brown graves beneath the rime Will wake us too in his good time? Are we not more than many flowers? O, sweet the lesson of the hours

At Easter-time! MAYRIGEY SMITH in The Congrega

THE CROCUSS BONNEY. Words fuled our rapture to express-'I'was worthy of a sonnet;

The crocus in her gown of green, And dainty Easter bonnet. I he robins sang, the sunshme danced, The brooks with merry greeting Ind homage to the cross sweet,

All ready for her meeting. Her bonnet tied beneath her chin, The sight set hearts a-bobbin'; I never saw a sweeter thing,"

Quoth jolly Master Robin. By L. E. CRITTENDER in The Outlook

NATIONAL LUNCH PARTY.

ovel Entertainment to be Given by the

Woman's Relief Corps.

The ladies of the W. R. C. will give a "national lunch party" in the G. A. R. ball next Wednesday and Thursday evenings, April 8 and 9. All ladies who attend e asked to contribute a box of lunch astefully trimmed and containing lunch for two, which will be auctioned off to the great Democratic editorial interest the highest bidders. Fancy articles and ake and ice cream will be sold each evenevening. A musical and literary entertainment will be rendered the first eveng and dancing will close the program of Thursday evening. An admission of the cents will be charged Wednesday even

-- The Boys' brigade of the Universalist hurch will meet Monday evening at 7:30 'clock and will be addressed by the at South American republics is easy, post ish executive committee will be held the lection. It cannot say the same now-

Appropiations Considered at the Meeting Yesterday Afternoon.

THE SCHEDULE NOT YET READY.

The Board will Take Time and Act with Care. The Sewer System. The Subject of Roads to be Carefully Considered.

The board of public works met yester day afternoon and their entire attention was givento arranging the estimates for ap-

propriations for this year's expenses. The members of the hoard had hoped to have the schedule ready to submit to the council at the regular meeting to be held Monday evening, but now find themselves unable to do so.

The work requires much careful deliberation and will not allow of baste. It is very probable that the meeting of the council will be adjourned Monday evening and that a special meeting will be called for the purpose of acting upon the matter of appropriations, both those of the school board and the board of public works. The city will be asked to approfollowing. We give it as originally print | priate a special amount to enable the ed spelling and all as an Easter suggestion | carrying out of the proposed alterations seem to our lady friends too much like in- as contemplated by the members and the city engineer. If the amount asked for is ceive the immediate attention of the officials, who hope to prevent a repetition

this year. The matter of roads will receive no little consideration if the plans of the board are carried out. The purchase of a steam roller and quantities of crushed stone will be a matter of much importance. It is possible that the schedule will not be ready for the action of the council for two weeks.

### A LESSON TO LABOR.

Free Trade Experience In Wool Applies to All Other Industries.

Every American wage carner, whether a worker in a woolen mill or not, is directly interested in the results of last year's experience with free trade in wool. Precisely the same effect would follow in other industrys if the tariff on the manufactured article were placed on as low an ad valorem basis as it has been in the case of woolen goods. Hence it is the carnest duty of every wage earner to study the following statement of our imports of foreign woolens during the four years of McKinley protection to wool and the one year of free trade in that raw material

IMPORTS OF WOOLEN MANUFACTU	
1892	37,515,44
1898	
Protection average	29,654,53 66,254,84
Free trade increase	
Loss to labor	

Last year the Democratic gift of free raw material to woolen manufactures more than doubled our imports of foreign woolen goods as compared with the average value of similar imports during the four years of Mckinley protection. The exact increase was \$30,599,813. If we take one-half of this amount as the value of the labor employed in making such goods, then the loss to American labor employed in our woolen mills was \$15,300,000 in a single year of free trade in the raw material of only one industry.

But the loss to our wage earners has been more than this, and for several reasons. In the first place the imports of last year's woolen goods, so called, very largely consistent of the cheapest quality of stuffs, in which rags, mungo and shoddy formed the bulk of the component parts. Hence the increase in value does not fairly represent the in- evening, is exactly the work for a concert which was greater than the value indicates. Another reason is that when the | to it that singers and audience both like, purchaser of these cheap goods begins to buy foreign clothing bereafter. This 1. Miss Yaw in one of the famous singers tends to check a subsequent demand for ' of this country and there is a great desire the produce of our own mills, and thus | to hear her again. it checks their output and again the de-

mand for American labor. As the value of labor is so much less in Europe than here, a better grade of goods than we imported so largely in 1895 could undersell American goods of similar quality if existing tariff conditions were continued. As the value of labor in most American industries repreeents more than half the cost of the finished article, the estimated loss to labor is greater than we have stated in the case of last year's woolen imports. Labor in every industry would be affected, in precisely the same ratio as labor in the woolen mills, if the tariff in all inschedule of the Wilson bill. Hence it is ditions, should the free raw material cruze be, by any possibility, extended to is exceedingly rare. every other American industry. Labor has had its lesson. Labor knows the remedy-fo vote, at every opportunity, against every candidate for congress who favors free trade.

A DESERTED DEMOCRAT.

Sause of the Famine of Statesmen In the Democratic Ranks. A famine of statesmen.-New York

Evening Post. Of course there's "a famine of statesmen" in the Democratic ranks after the three years' experience of Democratic statesmanship since 1893. What Democrat wants to shoulder such a load of responsibility? This "famine of statesmen" in its own ranks is the cause of in the ranks of Republican statesmen. The one receiving the most abuse just now is Governor McKinley, and whenever Democratic editors unite in attacking any prominent Republican it is sure proof that they dread his power and

Then and Now.

popularity.

Money is shundant, collections are sasy.—New York Herald, July 17, 1892.

This is what The Herald could truth-

### Fitchburg Railroad. Corrected Dec. 18, 1895.

Leave North Adams going Best - 81.37, 15.18, 7.28, 9.58, 11.44 a. m.; 2.21, 14.10 c2.00 p. m. Going West.—7.30, 10.08 a. m.; 12.20, 1.21, 5.00 15.05, 11.46, 02.39, 07.40 p. m.

Trains Arrive from East—10.08 a. m.; 12.10, 1.24, 5.00, 18.06, 11.46, 02.39 p. m. From West—81.27, 15.18, 7.23, 9.53, 11.44, 2.22, 14.10, 7.00 p. m. c2.00 p. m. a Runs Daily, ox 1 1 2 cnday, 1 Runs Daily, Sunca., Included. c Sundays only.

### Boston & Albany Railroad. Trains Leave North Adams, Going South—6.20, 9.85 a. m.; 12.15, 2.00, 5.05 p. m.

Trains Arrive from South—8.20 a. m.; 12.05, 2.33, 5.50, 9.10 p. m.

Hoosac Valley Street Railway. ADAMS LINE.

Leave North Adams—6.10, 7, 7,45, 8.30, 9.15, 1)
10.4b, 11.30 a. m.; 12.15, 1, 1.45, 2.30,
8.15, 4, 4.45, 5.30, 8.15, 7, 7.45, 8.30, 9.15 p.
m. 10 to Zylonite only. Adams—6.80, 6.10, 7, 7.45, 8.30, 8.18, 10, 10.45, 11,50 a. m., 12.18, 1. 1.46, 2.30, 3.15, 4.4.6, 5.30, 6.15, 7, 7.46, 8.30, 9.15 p. 12. 11 o'clock to Zylonite only

Esturdey and Sunday afternoons, leave each chid at 1, 128, 1.45, 2.45, 2.80, 2.55, 2.15, 8.65, 4, 4.19, 4.45, 5.05, 4.20, 5.05, 4.55, 5.25, 7.45, 8.55, 8.30, 8.60, 9.15, 6.25, 10, 10.29 to 2yjonite only.

Sunday cars will be run to suit convenience of thurch attendants, WILLIAMSTOWN LINE.

Leave North Adams—8, 7, 7.43, 8.30, 9.13, 10, 10.45, 11.30 a. m.; 12.15, 12.35, 1, 1.45, 2.16, 2.45, 3.15, 3.46, 4.14, 4.45, 5.15, 5.45, 6.15, 6.45, 7.15, 7.45, 8.16, 8.45, 9.15, 9.45, \*10.15 p. m. Leave Williamstown.—7, 7.45, 8.30, 9.15, 10, 10.45, 11.39 a. m.; 12.15, 1, 1.30, 2, 2.39, 3, 3.30, 4.4.30, 5, 5, 30, 6, 6.30, 7, 7.30, 8, 8.80, 9, 9.80, 10, †11 p. m.

Cars leave Blackinton at 880 s. m. for both North Adams and Williamstown. Salurdey and Sunday afternoons and evenings, commeucing at 1 o'clock, cars leave each end of the line every twenty immutes. Cars reach Blackinton twenty minutes after leaving either end of the line.

### Stages.

Last to Williamstown.

Last from Williamstown

THOMAS McManon, Proprietor. Leave Richmond House, North Adams, 5.36 a to., 12.15, 2.40, 5p. in., and, Saturdays, 5.10 p. m. Leave McMahan's Stable, Wilhamstown, 5.15 l.tt, 11 a. in.; 1.45 p. m., and, Saturdays, 5 p. m.

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NORTH ADAMS AND READSBORD J. B. FADLENER, Proprietor

I cave Post Office, North Adams, 1.80 p. us. Leave Post Office, Readsboro, 8 s. m.

### LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

-Miss Allen's kindergarten will reonen in the Y. M. C, A. building Monday, April 6. -The public schools closed for the

spring vacation yesterday afternoon. They will open again April 13. -The number of books given out at the public library last month was 7484. During March, 1895, there were 7697 books

...The annual meeting of St. John's parish for the election of officers will be held in the parish house Monday evening at 7.30 o'clock.

-There were eighty-two arrests made by the police during the month of March. For the same month last year there were fifty-two arrests.

there will be races for the 2.50, 2.40, 2.35, 2.27, 2.20 and free-for-all classes. The purses will be \$250 for each class except the free-for-all, which will be \$300. -Joseph Ryan of the Mansion house

-At the Hoosac Valley fair next fall

was driving up Eagle street this morning when the kingbolt of the carriage broke, letting the box of the carriage fall to the ground. Mr. Ryan was thrown out, but fortunately escaped injury. -A pair of horses attached to an ice

cart of J. H. Orr & Co. ran away on North Eagle street this morning and brought up on Hall street after making several turns on the hill. The cart was considerably damaged. -Mr. Mietzke's patriotic cantata, "Columbia," which will be given Monday

creased quantity of goods imported, like that of the G. A. A. R. It is melodious, inspiring, and has a rythm and swing -Victor Thrane, manager of Ellen complain of their bad wearing quali- Beach Yaw, wrote Mr. Meitzke today to ties, he is informed that they are arrange for her appearance in this city American goods, and that he had better during the last week of April or on May

> -George N. Rich has decided not to erect the proposed business block on the Kingsley lot this spring. A number of tenement houses will be built on the rear of the lot and work on the same will be

commenced at once. The block will probably be erected next fall. -Chad Cheesbro of North Adams has signed to pitch for the Roanoke team of Virginia league. Thursday he pitched for his team with the Bostons for opponents, and in the the five innings he was in the

box the Hub team secured but five singles. -Miss Tuttle gave a recital in New York last week. The Evening Post says: dustries were on the basis of the woolen | "Above all things, her smooth and distinct diction deserves especial praise, and the duty of labor to reflect, not only the flexibility of temperament and volce upon its actual position of today, but which enables her to turn readily from se-upon the possibilities of its future con-rious to lighter emotion, from smooth, broad singing to florid coloratura work,

-C. D. Sanford post, G. A. R., at its meeting last evening voted to attend the concert to be given in the Congregational church Monday evening, April 6. The comrades are requested to meet at G. A. R. hall at 7.15. Comrades will appear in

HENRY A. TOWER, commander, A. A. LEE, adjutant.

### PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

Mrs. M. E. Southwick will leave tonight for a few day's business trip to New York

Miss Bessie Arnold of Chestnut street has returned from her studies at Englewood, N. J., for the Easter vacation. Miss Sarah F. Allen of Arnold place

returned today from a visit of three weeks with her parents at North Ferrisburg, Vt. S. C. Sattule of Berlin, N. Y., visited his cousin, Mrs. Rufus Porter of Spring street and Mrs. George Rich of East Main street yesterday. Mrs. E. H. Ripley of Ashland street left

today for a few days visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. E. E. Humphrey, in Troy, N. Y. Miss Mabel Stroud of Chestnut street and Miss Fiorence Patton of Ashland street left today for a few days visit with Mrs. Jesse Sprulli in Springfield,

### TOWN TALK

Ladies can have their dress-making promptly done by an experienced fashonable dressmaker by applying at Miss Katie Nugent's dressmaking establish-

ment, 103 Union street. To Close Saturday Evening. Bring in your tickets, or get one from your grocer (given with a 50c purchase of Tulip Scap) to our store on Bank street and receive a fac simile pastel. Will furnish you with a frame at manufacturers cost. Come at once and make your selection as we move

W. F. Orr is having good success in selling the Smith Premier type-writer for which he is agent for this locality, having a number of these machines in prominent business offices in this city and vicinity. The Smith Premier has many improvements some of which were not even ooked for before this type-writer was brought out. We believe it is giving satisfaction to an unusual degree and easily ranks among the very best.

from here April 13.

"Blood is the life" and for cleansing and purifying the blood and building up the system "Wyoming Cordials" has no su-Mrs Crowell of Union street says, "I

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Marvelous Results. From a letter written by Rev. J. Gun-derman, of Diamondville, Mich., we are permitted to make this extract: "I have permitted to make the extract: "I have
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As but oner, driver or waiter, by a young man Willing to do anything. Address Geo. Wagon, 38 Washington ave. in the rear. Young Lady, American, with good references, desires a permanent situation in a first-class dressmaking establishment in North Adams. Address "Experienced" Tran-

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Mr. Darius Smith, druggist, 319 Mulberry street, Syracuse, N. Y., says: I know of many cases where

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SUBURBAN NEWS.

## AT ADAMS TODAY

The Temerance Meeting.

Although very stormy Friday evening, the second of the Murphy temperance meetings was almost as largely attended as the one Thursday evening.

Rev. A. B. Penniman was chairman and the Methodist male chorus rendered the musical program. Mr. Penniman in presenting Mr. Murphy, stated that the outlook for no-license is very encouraging; Fine Stationery and Card Plate that Rev. Fr. Moran would be at the Engraving, Visiting Cards, Wedding | meeting Sunday night, and announced that ex-District Attorney Hibbard of Pittsfield would also be present.

Mr. Murphy upon rising was greeted with applause, and after thanking the audience, he said there were many who objected to the temperance cause because of the crowd associated with it-fanatics as they are called. There are people who say they can drink if they want to, so can they quit if they want to. Every man's liberty to sustain and propogate a saloon in a community ceases where the good of that community begins. They say that people have liquor in their cel-lars. If the people who have liquor in their celiars were the people who supported the saloon, Mr. Murphy thought

There is one sensible way to drink liquor. This way, he thought, was for a man to buy a gallon of whiskey and have his wife sell it to him when he desired a drink. In this way his family gets the tenefit of his weakness. The whiskey trust, the greatest of all trusts, is sustained by the working people.

If we could use liquor judiciously we could modulate the system, but the liability is to exercise pleasure to excess. In tegard to the argument that business is bettered by license, he said that the real estate men do not think so. They say that the saloon is emblematic of degradation. The mean men never becomes a drunkard. There is not so much drinking under no-license; the saloon is a temptation to many and when its door is closed there is a safeguard for these. There is one way to beat gambling and drunkenout boys any more than a bank can without money. The 200,000 saloons in Amorica are successful only at the expense of the happy homes. It's good work to take the saloon from the drunkard, but | teacher Monday morning. it's better work to take the saloon from the boys before they become drunkards. Drunkenness lifts its brazen head in this

The speaker showed that drunken men buse dumb beasts and in summing up where they will reside. said: "This community should stand up as the sale of liquor decreases so does the there will be a service for children sale of the necessaries of life increase. He closed with an eloquent appeal for tem-

A quartet rendered a selection. Other meetings will be held this and unday evening.

Inspector to Come.

George A. Lord state inspector of boilers and examiner of engineers, will come PUBLIC AUCTION to this town Tuesday and remain until he completes his work here. All engineers and owners of boilers have doubtless read the law and are familiar with its provis- there. ions, and Inspector Lord hopes that all into the inspector, Mr. Lord has lately been 1 working in North Adams and is highly spoken of by those who have met him practical man striving for practical re- on Friday. sults, and while he is thorough in the discharge of his duty, he manages to perform it without the introduction of any Bennington last week Sunday. unnecessary red tape. His coming is not to be dreaded by boiler owners and engineers, but rather to be welcomed, for his mussion is to increase the safety of and all who have occasion to meet him

> Work of Remodeling Zylonite Works Started.

will find him a fair and pleasant man to

The contract for remodeling the Zylonite plant to suit the Mannesmanns Cycle Tube Works has been awarded to Eli Reeves and he started the work with eight men at 7.30 o'clock this morning. The first part to be placed in shape is the north endof the main building, where the rolling machinery will be placed. All the machinery for the plant is now in the New York custom house.

The masses at St. Charles' church Sun- J. H. Kidder as foreman. day morning will be at 8 for the children; and 9 and 11 for the people. The 11 o'clock mass will be a solemn high one and will be celebrated by Rev. Fr. Rioux of Fitchburg. Rev. M. J. Coyne will be deacon, Rev. D. C. Moran sub-deacon, and

Thomas F. Cassidy master of ceremonies Wrestlers Lucy and Stott have arranged for a meeting at North Adams on Saturday evening April 19. The match will be for \$100 a side and door receipts and the men will weigh in at 100 pounds.

The Christian Endeavor society will hold a sunrise prayer meeting at the Congregational church Sunday morning. Joseph Gritzback injured his right hand with a rusty nail Thursday and Dr. Hurd dressed it.

The Y. P. S. C. E. of the Congregational church will have their service tomorrow evening at 7.30 instead of 6.45, as usual and in place of the regular service, conducted by Mr. Slade. A quartet com-posed of Mrs. Slade, Miss Ursula Noyes, M.s.s. Rocerts and Strong, beside other songs and declamations will make up the

L. L. Boutwell of North Adams is teleillne's of Min Martha Irwin. Green River Grance held a successful and the interment will be in Averill burysagar ca in their hall last night.

A social was held last evening in the Sunday school room of the Methodist The choir of the Methodist church are

preparing a fine musical program for F. K. McLaughlin will take charge of totel in Utica the 1st of May. Miss Madie Gray of Greenfield is visit-

ing her aunt, Mrs. Mary Allen during the The funeral of the late Miss Lillian Mc-Grath, a nun at the Holyoke convent, and

of this town, occurred at Holyoke Friday afternoon. Rev. Father Roux, a Fitchburg Lasallette father, will be at St. Charles' church

this afternoon and evening, hearing con fessions. Mrs. C. Enos Bean's mother, Mrs.

Woods, returned to her home Friday after a visit with her daughter. R. L. Fosburg of the Buffalo, N. Y., office of James Stewart & Co., was in town

Friday on business. Patrick Doyle, father of Patrick, John F., and Keyron Doyle of this town, who resided here for many years, died at the ome of his daughter in Pittsfield Thursday evening. Mr. Doyle was 77 years of age. He leaves many friends in Adams. Greylock creamery directors met last

Mis Cora Wood of Lanesboro, and Mrs. Harvey of Boston were the guests of Miss Lottie Farnum during the past week.

Hattie Farrer is canvassing for a good selling article of ladies wearing apparel. Towner B. Jenks and Mrs. Sarah Simmous were united in marriage April 2, by Rev. P. F. Youlan. Mr. Jenks is seventyseven years old and his wife is sixty-five. The joint school committee of Dalton and Cheshire will meet Monday to make

arrangements for the coming school year by selecting a superintendent. E. Ingalis is likely to be reappointed for the the position he has held for several years past. Even at three cents per quart for milk, there is a good deal of strife for the little trade, on the part of the three peddlers.

Mrs. J. G. Northrup is not improving as might be expected. The Sons of Temperance installed their officers Thursday evening.

### WHLIAMSTOWN

George W. Nichols was in Boston Friday on business.

The Hoosac Valley street railway has ness, and that is to have the manliness to rented a waiting room in W. O. Adams' leave it alone. Mr. Murphy said the house at the foot of the hill. This room buyer of liquor is equally responsible with will be much more convonient than the the seller. The saloon cannot run with- one now in use in C. D. Brown's bakery. Miss Florence E. Noves, who has been visiting her sister Miss May Noyes for a week returned today to Chicopee Fails, where she will resume her duties as

Miss Hattle Stocking from San Francisco is visiting relatives in town. The Base-ball team will return on Tues-

community and says that innocence shall day to be measured for their suits. Mr. and Mrs. John M. Cole and Miss Lily Foster have left town for Pittsfield

The Episcopal congregation will hold and say 'no' to this traffic so loud that it | their first service in their new church would sound from one end of the com- tomorrow at 10: 45, when they will have monwealth to the other. He advised the the usual service followed by Holy Comcitizens to vote no-license and stated that munion. At 4 o'clock in the afternoon

### WILMINGTON.

Mrs. Oscar Boyd is very ill with pnuenonia and inflamatory rheumatism.

Frank Clark removed Saturday from ohn Clark's house on the Dover road to Mt. Pleasant several days waiting for a Leander Russell's house.

Herbert Medberry has been in town visiting his parents for a week or so, returning last Tuesday to Worcester. He has obtained a position on the motor cars

We hear that the Rev. R. C. T. McKenterested will cooperate in a way to zie will not take a charge next year, by expedite his work here as much as the advice of his physician and friends but possible. All engineers must be exam- after conference will remove to Brattleined and all boilers used for power boro where he has already rented a house must be inspected, and it is the duty of on Williston street. Mr. McKenzie will owners of boilers to report their location | canvass for books during the year and will lecture in various alsees.

Miss Faith Kidder has gone to South Vernon and will meet Miss Edith M. Bell officially or otherwise. He is a plain, at that place and they will return home

Frank Childs attended the funeral of his grandmother, Mrs. Alonzo Fox, in

Your correspondent received a pleasant cail from A. W. Harrington of Readsboro, Thursday. Mrs. I. D. Rice of Brattleboro is in town

boilers and the efficiency of engineers, and will take care of her mother who is seriously ill.

F. H. Aldrich and wife were in Halifax last week, going one day and returning the next.

Mrs. W. H. Draper went to Boston last Tuesday visiting the parents of Mr. Dra-Arthur Lyon left the employ of the W

G. and L. company last Saturday. Carrie Plimpton is at work for F. E. Ray during the sugar season.

Harry Pettee was in town recently visiting his uncle Dr. E. J. Titus for a day or H. C. Pratt of Springfield was in town

Thursday and Friday of last week, The engine company reorganized or Saturday last with thirty-one members.

Mrs. Jane Perkins is taking care of the sick ones at Mrs. Mary F. Winchester's. Fred Howe and wife are going to move to the farm belonging to Clark Chandler in East Wilmington and do the work there for the coming year. Alvah Lyman is but just alive at this

Peru has been sent for. Misses May and Gertie Averill are in town for a visit to their sister Mrs. E. S.

The entertainment given by the Dayton company on Friday and Saturday evenings of last week was pretty well patronized. Warren Boyd one of the leading citizens of Wilmington, died Sunday morning, about 5 o'clock. He had been sick about ten days with the grip which doveloped into pneumonia. Mr. Boyd was one of the wealthiest men in town and he leaves a large circle of friends. The funeral was held from his late residence Tues.

day afternoon at 1 o'clock. Rev. W. A. Estabrook officiated at the funeral of Warren Boyd. The interment was in the village cemetery.

Alvah Lyman died at 9 o'clock Monday evening at the age of 79 years. The funegrip i operator at the station during the ral is to-day at 2 p. m. from his late resi-illness of Mirs Martha Irw.n. dence. Rev. A. A. Smith will officiate

Superintendant Ryder, the county superintendent of schools, held teacher's examination in the village school house

Mrs. Mary Lamb has returned to her home in Wardsbore, Mrs. Julia Howe accompanied her and will stay a day or two thengo to Jamaica to see her daughter Mrs. Charles Howe.

### BENNINGTON.

Winter hangs like a hen on the third daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James McGrath John A. Robinson of Troy, N. Y., has rented for the summer his house on Wal-

loomsac street to Troy parties. The engagement of Miss Noyes, only daughter of Mrs. Merritt Noyes, to Simeon Percy, son of John B. Percy, is announced and the wedding will take place some time in April.

Wm. Weeks, who has rented his place to George Sweet has moved onto the Wm. Londergan place adjoining the Colegate

David Carpenter, who was buried from his late residence on Union street Thursday of last week, was a long time resident of Bennington. Mr. Carpenter spent his early days on a farm in Pownal where he was born in 1825. He was one of thirteen children, seven boys and six girls. It has been well said of Mr. Carpenter that he was an exceptionally shrewd business man and from a small beginning he amassed quite a fortune. Although he was never an active politcian yet he was called up on several times to fill the office of select man of Bennington and other positions of trust in the town and village. The remains will be removed from the vault in the spring and will be interred in the family lot in the new cemetery.

E. H. and H. E. Hubbard from Randolph and Rochester, Vt., (two brothers) have opened a feed store in the old Drysdale store on River street. We predict for them a growing business as our people will find them honorable men to deal

John B. Percey is to erect a small store on "the flats" near his house and will serve ice cream to the many bloycle riders who frequent that road in the summer. Samuel B. Sanford and family are expected at their summer home here some time in April from Troy.

Charles F. Sears is making repairs upon the summer residence of George B. Welington of Troy. It is reported that John H. Bahan is about to sell his "best" house on the brow

of the hill near the monument. It is understood Geo. B. Worthington is to purchase the same for his brother-in-law, Mr. White. Charles McNary is to take on shares the

### George Warren farm this season. WOODFORD.

Charles Bowles has moved back to his home at the city. Some time ago J. W. Hagar froze one of his feet and has not been ont much

Wm Shedd of Hoosick Falls, N. Y., weil known here has had a paralytic shock but is better.

Albert Gleason is recovering from grippe at his boarding place in New Mrs. Rooney, John's mother from Mon-

treal is visiting at his home. Mrs. Rooney has also visited her son Henry at North Adams. Edward White of Wilmington, who has moved onto the Germain farm at White Creek, N. Y., was housed at the

March blow-uto to subside Everybody is glad March is gone. Sun day was dreary and sleety. Just before daylight Monday morning there were sharp flashes of lightning, and severa peals of low heavy thunder. Rain fell more or less during the day. There is a

### loads of fine clapboards. Mr. Billings has a large stock at his mill. IT'S ALL TALK.

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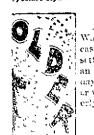
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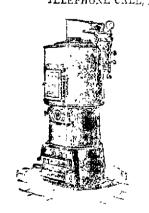
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New Hampshire Delegation Solid for the Maine Man.

A LETTER FROM THEM TO MANLEY

If Forced To Make a Second Choice They Will Fry To Represent the Wishes of Their Constituents.

Concord, N. H., April 4.-Following is a copy of a self-explanatory, original Hampshire delegation to the republican national convention, which was sent from this city last night to J. H. Manley at Washingt m: "The New Hampshire delegation were accredited to St. Louis by the state and districts conventions with the definite knowledge that they unitedly and earnestly favor the nomination of Mr. Reed and we shall give him our cordial support to that end. If forced to make a second choice, we shall try to represent faithfully the wishes of our constituents."

Islandor Millands Views. Washington, April 4 - Senator Allison was evry nuch amused when he saw a special departch in a New York newspaper announcing on what was said to be "the best authority" that he would within a few days write a letter Great Britain became somewhat defining the motives which led him to enter the contest for the republican nomination at St. Louis The senator said with positiveness that he had no idea of writing a letter on that or any other subject connected with the republican convention. The article also ing it has been made public. stated that Mr Allisco was 71 years old He could not see how this result NEW YORK M. E. CONFERENCE. was reached, for the reason that he was born Marc i 2, 1829.

Quey Delegates Chosen,

Easton, l'a , April 4 -- The republican convention of the eighth congressional district elected Gen Frank Reader and J. M Dreisbach delegates Cleveland, three remaining to be to the St. Louis convention. They were not instructer but both are pronounced Quay men.

Instructed for Morton. Batavia, N. Y., April 4 .- At the

thirtieth congressional district republican convention, held here, delegates the national convention were elected and instructed to support Mor-

MURDER THE CHARGE.

A Well-Known Horseman of Providence in Serious Trouble.

Providence, April 4. - James Carpenter, a well known borseman of this city, was acraigned before Judge Sweetland shortly after 6 o'clock last evening charged with violently assaulting H. H. Morse, a hostler. He bleaded not guilty and the case was continued for trial until April 10 under \$7,000 bond. At this time Morse was lying at the hospital in a precarious condition. At 7.45 o'clock he died. The direct cause of death was peritonitis. In a statement made to Coroner Lincoln before his death Morse stated that Carpenter knecked him down and kicked him in the abdomen last Tuesday in an altereation over \$42, which Morse says Carpenter owed him. Carpenter will be rearrested and charged with murder.

POSTAL MONEY ORDERS.

Large Increase for the Last Quarter Over That of Any Preceding Quarter. Washington, April 4,-Postmaster General Wilson has issued a statement showing a large increase in money order business for the last quarter over that of any preceding quarter, the the first quarter of the year seventeen receipts aggregating \$105,755,971. The such mills were added to the works, net revenue, \$275,000, has never been equalled, except in the quarter ended December 21, 1893. The value of present potential capacity of American domestic orders issued was \$49,000,000 | tin plate mills up to about, 5,200,000 against \$44,000,000 in 1894 and the re- boxes a year. Thus American tin plate ceipts were larger than those of the manufacturers are now in a position to corresponding quarter of 1854 by fill the whole of the consumptive de-

Weather Too Bul for Practice. Now Haren, Conn., April 4.-The plays of the Yale 'var dty crew have trade. become book twisted. The fourteen T. M. Lizcey chosed on Tienday and the weather has The Steamer Will Leave Puerto Corten beer so rough on the harbor that the men have been unable to go upon the water at a! Pub Cock and ex-Captains Johnson and Bolton were expected on

> Cert oper levi Rule Held Fuder Batt. West for my Am II - James E. Rule, Bushin to correspondent of the Knowlike Jorenel and private secretary to reare entative Henry R. Gibson of I en ic see, has been held for the action of the grand jury in \$300 bonds for eranical libel preferred by repre-

Wednesday but none of them has yet

Twelv Days in the Calorimeter. Middlet we, Conn., April 4 .- A. M. Smith, precirical assistant at Wesleyan university, completed at 11 a. m. to-day tw live days in the calorimeter. He has proved very enthusiastic and

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has done many different feats in his

Den h of Judge H. R. Russell, Bridgeport, Conn., April 4 .- Judge

Robert Henry Russell of the Stamford probate court died vesterday afternoon of pneumonia, aged 64. He had been secretary and treasurer of Christ church, director of the Stainford library, and president of the Union Cemetery association.

Divorce Laws for the Territories. Washington, April 4.—The house bill requiring a residence of one year in suits for divorce in the territories has received the favorable endorsement of the committee on territories. The committee amended the bill so as to provide that it shall not affect suits

already begur. Corcoran Again with the Brooklyns. Hew Haven, Conn., April 4.—Tommy Corcoran, the Brooklyn National league baseball shortstop of this city, has accepted the terms of the Brooklyn team and will join his former comrades in Brooklyn at once. He expects te fill his old position again this year.

### NORTH ATLANTIC SOUADRON. Proposed Cruise Abandoned and the War

Washington, April 4.—Secretary Herbert left Washington last night for Fort Monroe, Va., to spend about & week in inspecting the North Atlantic squadron, which has been held there since December last. During the secretary's stay the squadron will go outside the Virginia capes for two or three days of exercise at sea, and Mr. Herbert will have an opportunity of seeing what the officers and men of the squadron have learned since he accompanied them on their cruise last The battleship Indiana, now in year dry dock at Port Royal, S. C., is expected to reach Hampton roads on Thursday next, and she will be immediately attached to the squadron. It is the intention of the navy department to make the squadron permanent. and during the coming summer a programme of evolutions will be executed along the Atlantic coast. The causes which operated to keep the squadron intact are apparently still slive. It was the intention of the department at the beginning of the winter just ended to send the squadron on a cruise to the West Indies and the Venezuelan coast. An itinerary of the cruise was prepared and made public, but shortly thereafter the president's Venezuelan message went to congress, the relations between the United States and strained for a time, and the cruise in British West Indian and Venezuelan waters was abandoned. Since that time the squadrou has been lying in Hampton roads, and nothing as to the intention of the government respect-

hips Will He Kept Intact This Summer

Work of Selecting Delogates to the General Conference To Be Completed To-day.

New York, April 4.—The New York Methodist Episcopal conference will to-day complete the work of electing delegates to the general conference at hosen, four, the Rev. James R. Day, D. D. chancellor of the Syracuso university; the Rev. E. S. Osbon of Kingston; the Rev. James M. King, D. D. of the Union Methodist Episcopal church, New York city, and the Rev. C. C. McCabe, D. D., corresponding secretary of the Missionary Society of the Methodist Episcopal church, having been elected yesterday afternoon. Two lay delegates were also elected to the general conference. They were John E. Andrus of Yonkers and Albert D. Peaks. The pastoral "time limit" question was discussed by the lay electoral conference, which passed a resolution to the effect "that the time limit be retained," by an almost unani-

AMERICAN TIN PLATE.

Remarkable Growth of the Industry During the Past Year.

New York, April 4.—The quarterly review of the American tin plate manufacturing industry, published in the Mental Worker this week, shows that seventy-three firms are now ready to engage in the manufacture of tin plates in the United States. Thirtyfour of these corncerns are what i known as dipping plants, which merely coat black steel sheets purchased in the market and finish them into tin plates. The remaining thirty-nine concerns are tin plate works proper, that is to say, plants which roll and coat their own steel sheets. These thirty-nine works possess an aggregate of 172 hot mills, used for manufacturing the black steel plates which when coated constitute tin plates. In increasing their annual capacity by over 500,000 boxes and bringing the mand for tin plates in the United States, apart from that proportion used by the packers and by the oil trade, which is still held by the Welsh

BERMUDA RELEASED.

for New Orleans To-day.

London, April 4 -- A private dispatch was received here last night announcing the release of the steam-hip Bermada at Puerto Cortez The vessel wall sail to-day. Her destination is green as New Orleans. Ninety boxes towns, in addition to those applying of amountion found aboard of her last year, have made application, there and which were seized are held by the Hondurian guinorities. Col. Nunez is a passenger on the vessel.

An Ontdale, Mass., Shormaker Missing. Worcester, Mass. April 4 - Joseph Gilmette, aged 55, of Oakdale, has been musing since Thursday night. His riends and relatives fear he has been foully dealt with or that he has been accidentally drowned in the mill pond of the West Boylston Manufacturing company. The missing man is a shoem her and has a family of five sons and three daughters.

Ex-Consul Waller's Return. Denver, April 4.-Col. E. G. Woodford has received a cable dispatch from x-Consul Waller of Madagascar saying he will leave London for America today and will be in Denver within two vecks. Col. Woodford was at Tamatave when the ex-concal was arrested

by the French government. Fast Day in Connecticut. Hartford, April 4.-Fast day was observed throughout Connecticut yesterday in accordance with the proelamation of Gov. Coffin. Business was almost totally suspended, and, with

holiday style. For Attempting To Wreck a Train. Media, Pa., April 4.-Two colored brothers named Lloyd are under arrest for attempting to wreck a passenger train on the Media & Westchester railroad Thursday evening. A serious wreck was narrowly averted.

he exception of Episcopalians and

Catholics, the people spent the day in

To Await Retirement, Washington, April 4.—Capt. C. De Rudio, seventh cavalry, U. S. A., has been directed to proceed to his home at San Diego, Cal., to await retirement, This action was taken at Capt, De Rudio's request.

New York Excise Commissioner Will Not Enforce It.

A DUTY OF LOCAL PEACE OFFICERS

Mr. Lyman Vory Busy Organizing His New Department—He Decides on Maynard N. Clement of Canandalgua as Ris Chief Beputy,

Albany. April 4.-State excise commissioner Henry II. Lyman has decided upon Maynard N. Clement of Canandaigua as his principal deguty, with a salary of \$4,000. There were several applicants for the place. Mr. Clement was strongly recommended by the judges of his locality and others for the place now held by Mr. Lyman, Col. Lyman replied to a number of questions submitted to him last night. In his reply to the question whether he would enforce the Sunday closing feature of the law through his confidential agents he said that he would prefer that the peace officers of the different localities should enforce those provisions of the law, and he did not consider it incumbent on him to enforce Sunday closing through his agents. He explained that he did not expect any clashing or shifting of responsibility between district-attorneys and attorneys appointed by him in prosecuting cases. The attorneys of the department were to attend to proceedings of a civil and quasi-civil char-He said that as yet he had no knowledge what the action of the civil service commission would be with reference to placing the confidential agents under civil service rules. He was unable to say how the confidential agents would be distributed, or how many New York and the other large cities would have.

Working Night and Day.

In answer to inquiries as to how he was getting along with the organizaof his department, Mr. Lyman said: "I am first required by the excise law to prepare the necessary books for my office and prepare and furnish to each special deputy commissioner and each county treasurer in the state the necessary account books, papers, application and consent blank bonds for applicants and the necessary blanks for reports, all of which must be uniform throughout the state. All this must be done as soon prior to May 1 as is possible so that the public and applicants may become familiar with the method of transaction of business adopted by the department. I am also required to prepare and send to the special deputies and county treasurers proper books, blank reports, etc., as oon prior to April 15 as is possible. It is obvious that the seasonable accomplishment of this work is a heavy task. I have utilized all the assistance I can obtain which may be useful. We are working day and night and hope that the public may not become unduly impatient in view of the magnitude of the york and the short time to which we are limited for its performance."

RECH AT MAYS LANDING. peedy Justice Expected in the Case

of the Wife Murderer. Mays Landing, N. J., April 3. - When John Rech stepped off the train of the West Jersey railroad near here last vening he looked into the faces of a rowd of several hundred people who had gathered to wait for him. Not the lightest demonstration or even a renark against the prisoner was made. Only the crowd surged and pushed, all auxious to see Rech. As the sheriff started from the depot with him Rech gave one scared look around at the crowd, and, on being reassured by the heriff, kept his eyes towards the ground and never once looked up until safe within the jail. Jersey justice as the grand jury meets in nine days and his trial will probably follow in a

GOOD ROADS IN CONNECTICUT. Time Allowed for Application for State Bounty Extended.

New Haven, Conn., April 4.-The Connecticut highway commission has notified the town officers of the state that the time for filing applications for the state bounty for improved roads has been extended to May 1, after which the bounty of \$75,000 will be apportioned. As a number of is no doubt that the full sum will be called for, which means, under the law, a total expenditure for good roads his year of \$225,000 in the state. The ommission has fixed April 13 as the date for resuming work on the improved roads.

Charged with Stealing Calves. El Paso, Tex., April 4.—Israel M. King, who is a member of the New

Mexico legislature from Silver City, is under arrest in Juarez, Mexico, on the charge of stealing Mexican calves while driving cattle over the border at Palemas. He will have to stay in jail until his bond is approved at Chihuahave been appealed to.

Co -Receivers for Peck Bros. & Co. New York, April 4.-Judge Beckman of the supreme court has appointed Joseph Porter of New Haven, Conn., co-receiver of Peck Bros. & Co. corporation, manufacturers of plumbers' supplies, with a bond of \$75,000, with John M. Peck and Charles H. Downs, who

were appointed receivers on March 16.

From Journalism to Missionary Work, New York, April 4.—Alexander Schaup, who has been in journalism for many years, connected with the foreign departments of various American newspapers, and of late cable edtor of the Journal, has accepted a call as missionary of the New York conference of the Swedish Lutheran Augus-

tana synod. Lingane Trial Nearly Finished. Providence, April 4.—The Lingane rial in which sensational charges of bribery on the part of Lingane were made yesterday, is nearly finished, and, according to the attorney-genaral, only one more witness is needed in the rebuttal. The argument for Lingane to-day will be made by ex-congressman Chas. H. Page.

in Some Branches, However, the Gain Is Hardly Noticeable.

BACKWARD SEASON A HINDRANCE

Spring Purchases Must Lesson the Ale ready Small Stock and Compel Buying - Low Prices Still Generally the Rule.

New York, April 4.-Dun's review of the state of trade for the week just closing will, to day, say: The improvement expected with spring weather begins, though in some branches of business scarcely visible. As consumers make spring purchases they must lessen stocks and compel buying. The stocks taken in advance of consumers' demands last summer have been distributed far more slowly than was expected, but months of waiting have lessened the load which it is hoped spring buying will clear away. The backward season has been a hindrance, and the number of hands unemployed in important industries, and the low prices of farm products. Apprehensions of foreign or financial difficulties have hindered, but are now scarcely felt. Gold exports are rumored, but at this season are so for natural that the adjournment of the interpellution they have no such power to cause alarm as they had in winter. Iron and Steel Industry. 3 The gigantic steel combination is

expected to have a great influence in sustaining markets and stimulating confidence, and, though such operations often miss the success they seek, they rarely fail to kindle speculative buying for a time. The sudden advance of \$2 a ton in billets a week ago has ruised Bessemer pig \$1 at Pittsburg, and the demand for structural forms increases in expectation that prices will rise. Nail associations have given notice of another advance of 15 cts. at the end of this month. Bars have been greatly demoralized, some manufacturers now hoping to reestablish the combination, as steel bars will become dearer. But No. 1 foundry is slightly lower at Philadelphia, and the demand for finished products does not yet improve. The steel concerns propose to restrict production by allotment.

Boots and Shoes; Cottons and Woolens, Less encouragement appears in the boot and shoe trade, as buyers hesitate, though leather is still firmly held. Hides continue to fall sharply, having declined since January 1, 18.5 per cent. against only 7.8 per cent, in leather and 10.9 per cent. in boots and shoes, with part of the factories idle or working short force. The demand is not yet up to the average, though prices are about as low as ever. Shipments from Boston for the month were the lowest in five years, and for the quarter nearly 20 per cent less than last year, and only 1.6 per cent. larger than in 1894. The woolen manufacturer does not gain in orders, and a large part of the machinery is stopped. Prices of wool have fallen 7% per cent, the average of 104 quotations being 13.62 cents. Sales in March were smaller than in any other month since June, 1894. Cotton mills still pile up goods in advance of orders, as reductions in prices have failed as yet to stimulate buying.

COAL MINERS' STRIKE Dangerous Condition of Affairs Reported

at Barnesboro, Pa. Phillipsburg, Pa., April 4.—Phillipsburgicoal operators interested in mines at Barnesboro report a somewhat dangerous condition of affairs at that place, on account of a strike by the drivers for \$1.80 per day. The three mines of the Aniaton company were idle, but the company finally granted the demand. The Sterling company's company has succeeded in obtaining a few men to go to work. Those who are at work, fearing an attack on the part of those on strike, have armed themselves and threaten to shoot if interfered with. Barnesboro is a new mining town in Cambria county, this

Civil Service Extended.

Washington, April 4 .-- The president has further amended the civil service rules by placing under the classified service the assistant attorneys and law clerks of the department of the interior. This order includes about thirty persons whose salaries range from \$2,000 to \$2.750 per aunum.

Schooner Captain Skips Out. Gloucester, Mass., April 4.—Captain Orren Hawkins, of the schooner Rienzi that arrived here a few days ago, is missing and his whereabouts are un-On arrival here the fish were sold by the captain who took the proceeds, and, it is stated, left for Liverpool, N. S.

To Encourage Female Emigration, Montreal, April 4 .-- A meeting for the purpose of organizing in associa-tion for the promotion of female emigration to the northwest territories has been held in Toronto. The Canahua. The Washington authorities dian Pacific Railway officials have offered reduced rates to such emigrants.

> Snow Storm at Bangor. Bangor, Me., April 4.-Bangor was cut off from communication with Boston by wire nearly all of yesterday owing to the heavy snow storm, which

loaded down the wires, so damp was the snow. About six inches of snow fell here and the wind blew a gale. In Favor of One Cent Postage. Washington, April 4 .- Finley Acker of the Trades' league of Philadelphia yesterday afternoon' addressed the

house postoffice committee in favor of a bill making the rate on letter postage one cent for each half ounce. Woyler Extremely Nervous.

There is much dissatisfaction among officers of yigh grade. Gen. Weyler has been in a highly nervous state for several days, and many stormy interviews between him and men he has sent for have taken place. His troubles with the politicians are only beginning. Since advices that the United States will not recognize the belligerency of the Cubans, Weyler has begun anew the executions of prisoners of war. Three have been shot at Cabanos prison within a week, and more are doomed to the same fate.

the Senate's Action

CONFIDENCE OF DEPUTIES SUFFICIENT

President Faure Greatly Encouraged at the Decision of the Ministry To Stick to Their Posts-Senate's Action Generally Disapproved.

body last night in unanimously deciding to remain in office after the senate had declined the government a vote of confidence, the cabinet mambers deeming the approval accorded by the chamber of deputies sufficient justification for them to stick to their post, has greatly encouraged President The action of the senate meets with general disapproval. When an interpellation of the government's foreign policy was submitted in that body last evening, M. Bourgeois, prime minister and minister of foreign affairs, asked that the questioning be deferred, as he could give no reply beyond that which he had made in the chamber of deputies. He added that would not lesson the senato's rights. while it would give the government the authority and strongth necessary to pursue its negotiations regarding the Egyptian and other foreign ques-The senate refused to agree to M. Bourgeois' proposal, whereupon he declared that he should make no reply to the interpellation, having no further explanation to furnis.. The following resolution was then sub. ... with "The senate, noting the declaration of the government that it cannot add to its explanation of the chamber of deputies on Thursday, and regretting that those explanations are insufficient, refuse to grant the government a vote of confidence and passes to the order of the day." This was adopted by a vote of 157 to 77. The senate adjourned until April 22. Immediately thereafter the ministers retired and held a council at the foreign office. A delegation from both the senate and chamber of deputies have visited M. Bourgeois and assured him of their esteem and confidence.

FOR HIS WIFE'S AFFECTIONS.

Frederick S. Clark Brings Suit in Chicago Against an Alleged Titled Englishman. Philadelphia, April 4.- A special dispatch from Chicago says: Suit for \$50,-000 damages on the charge of alienation of his wife's affections have been begun by Frederick B. Clark, a real estate dealer, against Bertrand Shadwell, an Englishman who claims to be a member of a titled family, and lives as a man of wealth on Ashland boulevard where Mrs. Clark is now living. A few days ago Mr. Clark began proceed-ings for divorce, naming Shadwell as co-respondent. In 1878 Mrs. Clark obtained a divorce from Rev. W. H. Bald. win, a Presbyterian minister in the east, from whom she separated in 1874. In 1880 she married Clark in New York and three years later came to Chicago to live. Mrs. Clark went to Europe and lived there eleven years during which time she met Shadwell, who became a frequent visitor at the Clark home here when the mistress returned. She is 51 years old. Mrs. Clark formerly resided in Philadelphia and Delawaro Gap, N. J.

HAWAIIAN CABLE PROJECT.

Substitute for the Various Bills A iready

Washington, April 4 .- Representative Bennett of New York has laid befors the house commerce committee a substitute for the various Hawaiian cable bills already duced. It provides that the cable shall extend from San Francisco to Honolulu, thence to the Midway islands and to China and Japan. The government is to make a subsidy of \$160,000 for twenty years, government business to be carried free of cost all the time. The tolls to China and Japan are fixed at \$1.25 a word, and to Honolulu at 35 cents a word, with press dispatch rates at one-fourth of these amounts. The general sentiment of the committee is reported to be favorable to the proposition, although some thought the amount of the sub-

sidy should be reduced.

THE WAR IN CUBA. Gen. Weyler Highly Nervous and the

Insurgents Hopes Are Bright. Havana, April 1, via Tampa, Fla. April 4.—Army operations have been pushed with great vigor for the parmonth. The insurgents have been kept moving, their camps have been destroyed and a dozen of their hospitals have been burned during the month that has just passed, but the govern-ment has not forced a single battle upon the rebels. The only serious cogagements have been those in which the insurgents, having the advantage offensive and defeated the regular troops of Spain. There have been many rear guard skirmishes, which appeared in the Spanish official reports as battles and victories for the crown. but upon investigation appeared to be massacres of unarmed citizens, and there have been more tales of horrors committed than battles fought. Insurgents' Hopes Never Brighter.

The insurgents have gained more in the, past month than in any two that have preceded it. Weyler's decrees compelling people to abandon their homes in the interior has driven many peaceable inhabitants into the rebel armies. The harsh measures adopted toward suspects in cities and towns have also increased the number of recruits from families of the better class in cities. The landing of four important expeditions has given inspiration to the Cuban arms. Their hopes were never brighter. Hot weather is already here, and the rains are not far off. The limited time remaining for military operations this spring makes it plain that Spain cannot crush the rebeilion before the wet season sets in, and the serious problem for caring for the lives of her soldiers presents itself. A Spanish officer says that the losses of the army through fevers and other sicknesses have been 12,000 since September, and over 25,000 during the year ending March L

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